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Ambassador Anatoly Dobrynin
Embassy of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
1125 16th St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036

Dear Excellency:

I write you in celebration of the 68th birthday of a great hero to all freedom-loving man and women - Raoul Wallenberg, a Swedish diplomat during World War II.

We celebrate this birthday because many people believe this wonderful Christian, who saved more than 25,000 Hungarian Jews from certain death, is alive and in prison in Russia at this very moment. Too many people have reported seeing him over the years since 1945 when he was captured by the Soviet army in Hungary and sent to Moscow. He has been reported seen since 1947, the date your people say he died in prison.

We know your land is vast, and as it is with any bureaucracy people get lost. To lay all these rumors to rest, please request at the highest level that this man be found and reunited with his loved ones for the rest of the time that God may give him on this earth. This man, Raoul Wallenberg, is due great honor from us all. If, through your efforts, he is located, honor will come to you and your country as well.

Sincerely,

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Dear Leonid Byrd -

Please do what you can to find him and his family.

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